

SOUTH ASIA – Attachment I

i - Alexander's Soldiers Left Behind: Greek Ancestry in Himalayan Tribes Today

ii - India Discovers Its Largest Ancient Circular Labyrinth Linked to Roman Trade Routes

iii - Greek hero in Kolhapur, Indian statue in Pompeii—how art, trade, beliefs transcended borders.

a - Lecture - Beyond Boundaries, historian Romila Thapar revealed that the pepper tree travelled from India's west coast all the way to Rome, and attracted many Romans.

b - An international team of archaeologists has discovered in the ancient Egyptian port of Berenike (or Berenice), on the coast of the Red Sea, a set of six exceptional artifacts that demonstrate, for the first time unequivocally, that merchants and residents from the Indian subcontinent not only visited, but lived in and practiced their religion in this crucial Roman trading hub.

iv - MUMBAI EXHIBITION

Networks of the Past: A Study Gallery of India and the Ancient World, and it will be on for three years.

"This is unprecedented. Asian and Mediterranean art are rarely seen together"

v - When Ancient Greeks and Scythian Sakas Fought for Domination in India